

## 100 MAJORITY FOR ROOSEVELT

States With 257 Votes Seem Assured

## TO REPUBLICAN TICKET

And 159 of Electoral College for Parker  
— President Has Sure Majority  
of 18, Without New  
York.

New York, Oct. 30.—The New York Herald's non-partisan poll of the country indicates that Roosevelt and Fairbanks will be elected and that the House of Representatives will be Republican.

It also discloses an almost even chance that President Roosevelt will lose the electoral vote of his own state, the figures showing that the two New Yorkers who are running for the presidency are close together.

States with 257 electoral votes are classified as strongly favoring the Republican electoral ticket. States casting 159 electoral votes will vote Parker and Davis. A majority of the electoral college consists of 239 votes. Thus the President has a majority of 18 sure votes, and Parker lacks 40 of having a clear majority.

As doubtful are placed states which have 60 electoral votes, but four, casting 18 votes, are probably Republican—Colorado 5, Delaware 3, Montana 3, West Virginia 7. The returns also necessitate classifying one state as doubtful and probably Democratic. This is Nevada, with three electoral votes. New York is considered doubtful, and given to neither candidate.

This campaign has been likened by Democrats to that of 1892, when there was a tremendous and unexpected upheaval and Cleveland carried states that had never gone Democratic before. If the indicated result is to be confirmed, it must be by the work of influences beneath the surface which no amount of investigation can fathom. There are no signs on the surface to indicate such an upheaval, except the indicated vote of New York city.

Unusual care has been taken in this canvass to discover the intentions of the voters. While all surface indications point to Republican victory, surface indications have been by no means relied upon entirely.

In the House of Representatives the Republicans seem assured of 210 seats, to 164 for the Democrats and 12 seats are classified as in doubt.

## BREAK-UP IN THE CABINET IS COMING

Shaw and Moody May Retire After the Election, but Hay Will Stay at Head of States Department.

Washington, Oct. 29.—Three will be probably more changes in President Roosevelt's official family after election

## HAD CATARRH

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Mr. Arthur Gaul of Wellsville, Ohio, writes: "I wish every one suffering from catarrh or bronchial troubles knew the value of Vinol as I do. Before taking it I had catarrh for fifteen years, and for the last year I had a pain in my lungs and coughed night and day, which caused me to lose flesh. I felt sure I was going into consumption, as nothing seemed to help me.

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than is generally supposed. Secretary Hay will remain at the head of the state department indefinitely, but in the other departments there will be many changes. It is not altogether certain that Secretary Shaw will care to remain much after March 4 at the head of the treasury department.

Secretary Shaw is getting on in years his political aspirations have been fulfilled by his service in the cabinet, and as he has not a very large private fortune, he is said to be considering whether it is not time to retire from public life and make some money for his family. Atty. Gen. Moody will undoubtedly retire and return to the practice of law in Boston. There have been rumors that Secretary Morton would leave the navy department about March 4, but that is denied and the statement is made that he will remain in the cabinet a couple of years more.

If Secretary Shaw retires from the cabinet it is probable that when President Roosevelt comes to consider his successor that he will give considerable attention to the name of George B. Cortelyou, now chairman of the Republican national committee. Mr. Cortelyou has long been slated for the post-office department, but by training and temperament he is much better fitted for the treasury department where his business training and fine business instincts would be valuable.

If he goes to the treasury department, then Mr. Wynne, now postmaster-general, who for many years was a Washington newspaper correspondent, will stay where he is.

## ATTEMPT TO ASSASSINATE?

Rumored Attempt Made on Life of Col. Rogers at Fort Ethan Allen.

Burlington, Oct. 31.—A rumor was generally current Sunday that an attempt had been made on the life of Col. Rogers, commanding the troops at Fort Ethan Allen. This rumor was freely circulated at the Post, at Winoski, and in this city.

Col. Rogers, upon inquiry, made an emphatic denial of the story stating that there was not an atom of truth in it.

He said that many of the soldiers were out unusually late Saturday night and he put on an extra patrol to watch them. As a result, five men were placed under guard, but were released this afternoon.

This, said Col. Rogers, was the only foundation to the absurd story.

## Shot While Duck Hunting.

Derby Line, Oct. 29.—George M. Prew, a son of Fred Prew, who lives on the Beebe Plain road, was accidentally shot yesterday while duck hunting at Lake Park with his brother-in-law, Joseph Lowell. Prew was pushing the boat along the shore of the lake, his gun resting on one of the seats. The boat gave a lurch and the gun slipped from its place and was discharged, almost the entire contents going into Prew's right leg.

## FOOTBALL RESULTS

Harvard Beaten By Pennsylvania 11 to 0.

## YALE WINS FROM COLUMBIA

By Score of 34 to 0—Wesleyan Easy  
Dartmouth and U. V. M. Succumb Before Brown's Eleven.

Boston, Oct. 30.—Pennsylvania defeated Harvard by a score of 11 to 0 in the Stadium yesterday in the presence of some 15,000 spectators, thereby rudely shattering the crimson aspirations for football supremacy. It was the greatest surprise of the season and the game was won and lost in the first half, during which Harvard showed that she was utterly helpless to advance the ball by scrimmage attack, while Pennsylvania had an offense that was simply irresistible. Pennsylvania turned out a finished product, while Harvard, still in a crude state, was unable to make any kind of an impression against her opponent until the second half, but on the two occasions that Harvard was dangerous Pennsylvania successfully blocked the way to a touchdown.

Harvard had a big advantage in winning the toss, and having a strong wind at her back it looked as if all she had to do was to keep putting the ball until she came within striking distance of her opponent's goal. This favorable opportunity never came, however, as Reynolds was able to outpace Sperry with the wind against him, and in running in punts Pennsylvania completely outclassed Harvard. While the crimson was fairly and squarely beaten it would have been more to Pennsylvania's credit if her victory was not marred by the unsportsmanlike conduct of her players in kicking and knocking Harvard men after they had been downed. There is only one word to express Pennsylvania's foul play and that she was guilty of playing dirty football, and the chief offenders were Stevenson and Pickariki. It was a rough game from start to finish, and while some of the Harvard men used their hands in open slugging, they did not resort to the mean practices of their opponents.

As far as physical condition was concerned Pennsylvania was better prepared for a hard, bruising game than Harvard, and during the first half the Quakers got the jump on the crimson nearly every time. There was no life or snap to Harvard in the first half, because Pennsylvania charged so quickly that the Harvard attack was stopped before it could gather headway, and if an opening was made in the Quaker line it was promptly closed up by the secondary defense, in which Smith was an tire of the pace before the first half was over, and three of her players retired in favor of substitutes, and in the entire game Harvard used 18 players. Pennsylvania made no changes in the first half, but in the second half she put in four substitutes, using 15 men all told.

## A Cinch for Dartmouth.

Middletown, Ct., Oct. 29.—Wesleyan played her first championship football game in the triangular league series this afternoon with Dartmouth, the Hanover boys winning 33 to 0. The visitors were too heavy for Wesleyan and ploughed through the line almost at will. In the second half, Wesleyan took a brace and Dartmouth was able to secure only two touchdowns.

## Nothing to it But Eli.

New York, Oct. 29.—Outclassed in every department of the game, Columbia's football eleven was defeated by Yale at American League Park this afternoon, 34-0. In their five contests this was Yale's most decisive victory. It was Yale's day from the start, and, after the first half it became merely a question of the score, not the result.

## U. V. M. Easy for Brown.

Providence, R. I., Oct. 29.—Brown defeated the University of Vermont easily this afternoon, 33 to 0. Coulter, Higgins and Russ were the only regulars in the Brown line, but the subs played a smashing game. Vermont played pluckily, but her men were too light and could not rush the ball.

## Saturday's Football Games.

At Soldiers' Field—Pennsylvania 11, Harvard 0.  
At New York—Yale 34, Columbia 0.  
At Ithaca—Princeton 18, Cornell 6.  
At Philadelphia—Georgetown 17, Holy Cross 4.  
At Middletown—Dartmouth 33, Wesleyan 0.  
At West Point—West Point 16, Williams 0.  
At Annapolis—Swarthmore 9, Annapolis 0.  
At Waterville, Me.—Colby 12, Maine 11.  
At Medford—Tufts 31, Boston U. M. C. A. 0.  
At Norfolk, Va.—Carleton Indians, 14, Virginia 6.  
At Lewiston—Bates 40 Pine Tree A. C. 0.  
At Windsor—Bellows Falls High school 38, Windsor High 0.  
At St. Albans—St. Johnsbury Academy 10, Littleton High 0.

## Two Bankrupts.

Burlington, Oct. 29.—The following petitions in voluntary bankruptcy were filed at the office of the district court clerk in this city today.

Joseph Gilbert of Barre, a teamster. Liabilities \$285.54, assets \$1187, exempt \$58.

J. N. Chamberlain of Rockingham, a teamster. Liabilities \$1100.50, assets \$250.

## GREATER PART ADULTERATED.

Very Little Pure Whiskey Sold in United States.

Washington, Oct. 30.—The declaration by Dr. Wiley, chief chemist of the department of agriculture that 85 per cent of all whiskeys commonly used in this country are adulterated and that only pure whiskey to be relied upon is that bottled in bond, has aroused a storm of protests and a few inquiries as to where the genuine article can be found.

Among the latter came yesterday a letter from Gen. Lew Wallace, author of "Ben Hur" and other noted works. Gen. Wallace pleads for light on the whereabouts of good whiskey and says: "Wouldn't you be good enough to tell me where and of whom I can get some really pure rye whiskey? I am in need of a supply of the article, not for merchandise, but to put down in my cellar for my own use and that of my friends—that is, of course, if there is any such thing as 'pure rye whiskey.' You may smile, doctor, but an address which will enable me to secure the article will be a very substantial favor."

Hundreds of letters are received daily on the subject of impure whiskey and the tenor of them indicates that Dr. Wiley had better not try to run for office where the blenders and rectifiers are voters. In his investigation of the subject Dr. Wiley made analysis of various brands of so-called Scotch, Irish and American whiskeys, and he has data which he says shows that the greater part is adulterated.

The investigation that government chemists have been conducting has for its object the ultimate passage of a law by Congress against adulteration of foods, and in this the rectifiers and blenders see their doom. If the law should pass their occupation would be unlawful. As a result of the investigations Dr. Wiley has insisted that so-called rectified for what they are.

To this the rectifiers reply that rectified goods are purer and better than blended. Some of the latter have proved to be made up of logwood juice, prune juice, cologne spirits, some whiskey, and several other ingredients. Dr. Wiley insists that rectified whiskey shall be branded and sold as such, and blended whiskey as such.

It is not likely that Gen. Wallace will get a positive answer to his inquiry, as Dr. Wiley, in advertising any article as pure, would make himself liable to charges that would no doubt imperil his tenure as a government official. His usual answer to such inquiries is that "any whiskey bottled in bond is all right." After saying this today he added:—

"If I could only talk I'd tell you things about this particular subject that would make your hair curl, and would result either in your becoming a total abstainer or else in your demanding affidavits from the distiller, the bottler, the retailer, and the government revenue officers with every bottle you purchased."

## DR. WEBB'S AMBITION.

Would Like to Be Elected Governor of Vermont in 1906.

Burlington, Oct. 29.—Dr. W. S. Webb of Shelburne, Vt., and New York city, has announced that he will be a candidate for the governorship of Vermont in 1906. He made a canvass for the position in 1902, but was defeated by J. G. McCullough.

Dr. Webb relies very largely on the influence of the Rutland railroad, of which he is president, for political support. This support is likely to be somewhat divided, however, as P. W. Clement of Rutland, a director of the road, is expected to be a candidate, and very strong influence is being brought on Fletcher D. Proctor, son of Senator Redfield Proctor, also a director in the Rutland railroad, to become a candidate for the place.

## WORN AWAY BY SHEEP.

California Geologist Tells How Anacapa Island Is Disappearing.

That the island of Anacapa, one of the Santa Barbara channel group, is slowly disappearing in the ocean is the rather startling statement of Fred Johnson, who with a party of scientists from Berkeley, Cal., recently visited the place, says the Chicago Inter Ocean. And more curious still, Johnson claims that this phenomenon is due to the presence of 400 sheep on the barren rocky island. These sheep, according to Johnson, are actually wearing away the rocks. On the south side of the island they run along the top of precipitous cliffs, forming deep pathways about three feet from the edge of the cliff. Rain soaks into these runs, and from time to time parts of the bluff fall into the sea.

On the north side of the island are canyons and hollows where the soil has collected. Between the rock and the upper crust the soil washes out and caves sometimes as deep as twenty feet are formed. The sheep run over the top of these, wear runs in the earth, which in turn is washed into the sea.

Another remarkable statement of the scientists who visited the island is to the effect that there is no drinking water on the island for the sheep. All the refreshment and nourishment they get comes from the leaves of the prickly pear plant, which the sheep very dexterously manipulate so as not to be hurt by the thorns. The only man on the island is the sheep herder, who draws his supply of drinking and cooking water from a cistern in which he collects rain water.

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## HIGH ON A HILL

St. Mary's Called the "Star of the Sea."

## NEW CATHOLIC CHURCH

Building at Newport—Material Has Been Obtained Largely from the State.

Newport, Vt., Oct. 29.—In a few months the members of St. Mary's Roman Catholic church will have as a place of worship the largest and handsomest church in this part of the state. This will be dedicated as the Star of the Sea, so-called from its proximity to Lake Memphremagog. The structure is built entirely of granite taken from within two miles of this place. It is a structure that will not only serve as a place of worship for many years to come as a monument to the indefatigable efforts of Rev. Fr. Claremont, but as an ornament to the village of Newport.

Beneath the arch are two romantic windows with a larger one in the middle. The main entrance through two large doors, over which are stained glass windows, will be directly beneath the arch. The entrance will be reached by means of several granite steps leading from the terraced gardens below.

The building extends back 157 feet, and the exterior light will be through the five windows on each side. These will be of stained glass and will be dedicated to the memory of former members of St. Mary's "Star of the Sea," as the church is called. To whom these elaborate windows will be dedicated is not yet decided.

Extending outward from the line of the main building will be two chapels, one on each side of the church. These will be so placed that the interiors will front near the sanctuary. In the south end of the building the lines are so arranged as to provide for an elaborate sanctuary, a short distance in front of the transept, 94 feet in width.

After the completion of the exterior several months will be required to finish the interior, according to the plans of Fr. Claremont. The interior work will be in natural finish, and will be from wood taken from this vicinity. Different woods will be used, but they will include birch, oak, and birds-eye maple. It is intended as far as possible to construct the building of Vermont material, and this has been done with the exception of the slate roofing, which came from Maine.

The auditorium will seat about 1200 people, while the wide galleries which are on three sides of the auditorium will seat 400 more.

The chapels at each side of the sanctuary will be dedicated to the holy family and the sacred heart. These will be handsomely adorned. The altar and other portions of the sanctuary will be of carved wood and adorned with sculptural texts. Directly in the rear of the altar will be the shrine dedicated to

Christ. This will be mounted upon a pedestal, and so placed within the recess that the light from three stained glass windows will be focused upon the statue, making what is described by Fr. Claremont as "a play of light." The focused rays give the effect of clouds, and from the auditorium of the church the statue has the appearance of being suspended among the clouds.

The interior of the church will be ornamented with frescoes depicting scenes in the life of Christ. These will adorn not only the sanctuary, but the body of the church. The artist for this work has not been selected, but will be as soon as the work has progressed sufficiently to allow the painting to be done.

As the structure is situated upon the hill, there will be a long approach from the street below. The grounds around the building, instead of being slanted gradually to the church steps, will be terraced and beautified.

At first it was hoped to have mass at New Year's day, but Fr. Claremont does not now expect to accomplish this. The cornerstone was laid in May, and since then a large force of men has been employed, but unpreceivable delays in securing building materials arose, and now the dedication will be delayed beyond the original time set. At present the exterior of the structure is completed with the exception of the towers. These will be done in a few weeks.

The date for the dedication cannot be definitely announced at present. It will, however, be made a gala event for the Catholics of this place. The bishop of Vermont and other church dignitaries from the United States and Canada will be invited to be present.

The worship at present is conducted in a small wooden church near the new structure. The rear of this building is also used as a parochial school, and is attended by a large number of the Catholic children.

Fr. Claremont, who was formerly chancellor of the diocese of Burlington, came to Newport from that place 12 years ago. Since that time he has worked unassisted. His efforts have been so appreciated by the people of this place that both Catholic and Protestant have united their efforts in securing the money for the new building. He has secured not only the land on the hillside, but a large tract on the top of the hill. He hopes to some day erect a large hospital near the church.

## Bear and Three Deer Shot.

Bennington, Oct. 29.—Hunters in this section had pretty good luck today. John Tudor killed a 300-pound buck in Hartwellville that weighed over 200; Tarrant Sibley shot one but a short distance east of the village, while a 400-pound bear near their camp on the mountain in Glastonbury. It was one of the largest seen in this section in years.

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## Widely Known Proverb.

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